



## COOPER YOUNG DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

Cooper Young is an economically, racially, and socially diverse neighborhood located in central Memphis. The neighborhood is a national historic district, and is located near the University of Memphis, numerous churches and schools, and a prospering commercial district. Cooper Young was once both a decaying and dangerous neighborhood. Through the efforts of CYDC and other neighborhood organizations, Cooper-Young is now a neighborhood in transition. Cooper-Young has partnered with the City of Memphis and private investors to stabilize the area, and the intersection of Cooper and Young represents one of the more pronounced success stories of commercial revitalization in the City.





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Cooper-Young Development Corporation was chartered in 1991 to improve the quality of life and to foster a sense of community through housing and economic development in the Cooper-Young neighborhood. CYDC advocates and works toward community based development. We have formed a strong partnership with both city and state agencies to support both the development and the growth of grassroots organizations in the neighborhood.



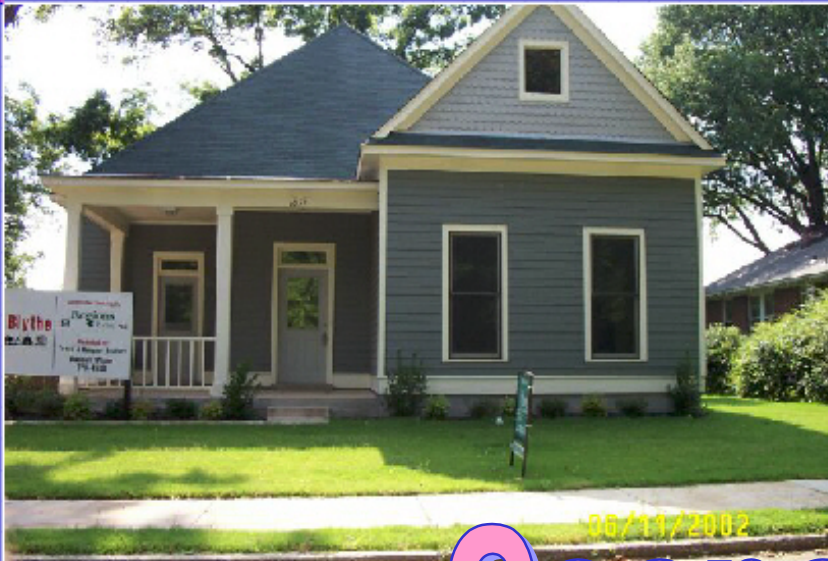
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